

The Aston Forensic Linguistic Databank (FoLD)

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A permanent, controlled access online repository for forensic linguistic data

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To further academic research into forensic linguistics and to directly contribute to impact in assisting the delivery of justice.

Data donations

We are constantly looking for new datasets

If you are interested in publishing your research data on FoLD, please get in touch via our Contact page

Over 20 datasets

Malicious communications, legal texts, court transcripts, police interrogations, authorship corpora

Spoken and written data

Multiple languages

Dataset pages

Title, brief summary and detailed description Metadata, including data type, language and access category

Information on data donor

Link to data files (open datasets) or data request form (restricted or controlled datasets)

Three access categories:

Open datasets – freely available to all users

Restricted datasets – are released to registered users upon successful data access request

Controlled datasets – can only be accessed in our secure data lab at AIFL upon successful data access request



Links to external data